In the Claims:

Please cancel all claims on file. Please add new claims 19-30 as follows:

- 19. (New) A method comprising: contacting a virus-infected cell with an extract from a plant selected from the group consisting of Ocimum gratissimum, Ficus polita, Clausena anisata, Alchornea cordifolia, Sanseviera liberica, Combretum aphanopetalum and Elaeophorbia drupifera in an amount effective to inhibit cytopathic effects of the virus.
- 20. (New) The method according to claim 19, wherein the virus is human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), herpes simplex virus (HSV), human cytomegalovirus (HCMV), poliovirus (PV), measles virus (MV) or yellow fever virus (YMV).
- 21. (New) The method according to claim 19, wherein the extract is from Ocimum gratissimum.
- 22. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the virus is HIV-1, HCMV, HSV-1 or HSV-2.
- 23. (New) The method according to claim 19, wherein the extract is from Sanseviera liberica and the virus is HSV-1, HSV-2, HCMV, PV, MV or YMV.
- 24. (New) The method according to claim 23, wherein the virus is HSV-1 or HSV-2.
- 25. (New) The method according to claim 19, wherein the extract is from *Ficus* polita.
- 26. (New) The method according to claim 25, wherein the virus is HIV-1, HSV-1 or HSV-2.
- 27. (New) The method according to claim 19, wherein the extract is from Clausena anisata and the virus is HIV-1, HSV-1 or HSV-2.